



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Gust H. Bardy, et al.

Title: EXTERNAL ATRIAL DEFIBRILLATOR AND METHOD FOR  
PERSONAL TERMINATION OF ATRIAL FIBRILLATION

Serial No.: 09/441,936

Filing Date: November 17, 1999

Examiner/Unit: K. Droesch / 3762

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action dated 20 June 2001. A response to the Office Action is due 20 September 2001. This communication is filed within the three-month period for a response.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the following amendments and remarks is requested.

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